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charged against the project based on an equipment use rate developed by the participant in accordance with guidelines provided by the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation. Other costs such as material costs will be charged to a project as outlined in OMB Circular A-102 and the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation Manual, part 670.

- (2) Construction by Contract—(i) Bids and Awards. Competitive open bidding shall be required for contracts in excess of \$10,000 in accordance with Attachment O of OMB Circular A-102.
- (ii) Equal Employment Opportunity. All construction contracts awarded by recipients and their contractors, or subgrantees having a value of more than \$10,000 shall contain a provision requiring compliance with Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as supplemented in Department of Labor Regulations (41 CFR part 60). Equal employment contract compliance requirements for "Hometown" or "Imposed" Plan areas will be followed.
- (iii) The State or local applicant will comply with all other procurement standards set forth in Attachment O of OMB Circular A-102.
- (3) Construction Planning Services. The applicant is responsible for:
- (i) Providing all engineering services necessary for all design and construction of Fund-assisted projects.
- (ii) Providing an internal technical review of all construction plans and specifications.
- (iii) Insuring that construction plans and specifications meet applicable health and safety standards of the State.
- (iv) The Bureau reserves the right to require the submission of plans and specifications for any development project prior to project approval.
- (v) All construction plans, specifications, contracts, and change orders shall be retained by the participant for a period of three years after final payment on a project is made by the Bureau, or for a longer period of time if so requested by the Bureau.
- (4) All facilities developed will be designed to comply with the "American Standard Specifications for Making Buildings and Facilities Accessible to, and usable by the Physically Handi-

capped" Number A117.1–1961, as modified (41 CFR 101–17.703). The applicant will be responsible for conducting inspections to insure compliance with these specifications by the contractor.

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## §64.12 Standards for grantee financial management systems.

The grantees' Financial Management Systems shall meet the minimum standards set forth in OMB Circular A– 102, Attachment G.

#### § 64.13 Performance reports.

Performance reports shall be submitted quarterly for all active projects. The performance reports shall briefly present the following:

- (a) The status of the work required under the project scope.
- (b) Other pertinent information including, when appropriate, time schedule delays and other similar problems encountered and their expected impact on the project, etc.

## §64.14 Project inspections.

All State and local projects will receive a final inspection by the Bureau. Final inspections will be conducted prior to final payment of Federal funds. Progress inspections will be conducted as deemed necessary by the Bureau. Preapproval inspections will also be conducted prior to project selection at the discretion of the appropriate Bureau Regional Office.

# § 64.15 Financial reporting requirements and reimbursements.

Payments to applicants will either be by reimbursement by Treasury check or advance by Treasury check.

(a) Reimbursement by Treasury Check. The Outlay Report and Request for Reimbursement (OMB Circular A-102, Attachment H) is the standard form to be used for requesting reimbursement for acquisition and development. Requests for reimbursement shall be submitted by "the grantee" not more frequently than monthly. The requests for reimbursement shall be submitted by the grantee in an original and three copies to the appropriate Regional Office. The Regions will forward to the Division of